CITY OF ROCKFORD COUNTIES OF WRIGHT AND HENNEPIN

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Rockford Planning Commission will conduct a Public Hearing on Thursday, December 19, 2024, at 7:00 PM (or as soon after as time permits) in the Council Chambers at Rockford City Hall, 6031, Main Street, Rockford. The purpose of the public hearing is to hear from staff and anyone else interested and to thereafter make a recommendation to the Rockford City Council regarding an ordinance containing proposed amendments to the city's zoning regulations related to cannabis and hemp businesses. Specifically, the proposed ordinance would establish certain regulations on such businesses in anticipation of their impending state licensure and establishment. The proposed amendments include the addition of definitions to Section 1001.02 Subd 2; updates to the allowed permitted, conditional, and interim uses in Section 1001.16 C-O District, Section 1001.19 C-3 District, and Section 1001.20 I-1 District; and addition of new cannabis and hemp business regulations in Section 1001.09 Subd 24. Anyone desiring to be heard regarding the proposed ordinance may speak during the public hearing. A copy of the proposed ordinance will be available at City Hall approximately one week before the public hearing.

All interested parties are invited to attend the Public Hearing to ask questions and express their comments. Written comments may also be submitted and are preferred to be received via email at debbieb@cityofrockford.org or mailed to City Hall at 6031 Main Street, Rockford, MN 55373.

The meeting agenda and additional information regarding the application are typically available on the City website by Noon on the Friday prior to the Public Hearing.

If you would like further information regarding the Public Hearing, please call the Assistant City Administrator/City Clerk at 763.447.6565 in advance of the meeting.

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